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A concise explanation of the relevance of the non-English language document(s) appears below in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(3):

Document **FP1** (JP 2000-004122 A) appears to describe an angle demodulator which can correctly demodulate an angle-modulated wave, as shown by the English abstract enclosed with document FP1.

Document **FP2** (JP 2001-197398 A) appears to describe a device and method for multiplexing and demodulating sound, as shown by the English abstract enclosed with document FP2.

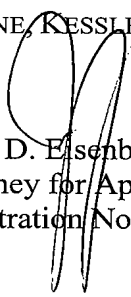
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